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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to:

a second and third month to July 23, 2004 ☐ \$420.00 ☒ \$840.00

A ☒ one ☐ two ☐ three ☐ four month Petition for Extension of Time was previously
filed with the appropriate fee on May 24, 2004.

☒ An extension fee in the amount of \$ 840.00 is enclosed.

☐ The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated _____.

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The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17 and
1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.
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